

Guard Officers Hold War Conference

300 HOLD TWO DAY SESSION AT CAMP

About 300 officers of the U. S. Guards of Michigan, formerly known as Michigan National Guard, held a two day conference at the Officers Club house, Saturday and Sunday last. The conference was for the purpose of acquainting the officers with the guard with the duties they are to assume at the maneuvers to be held between Camp Custer and the region about Chicago, beginning August 6th.

Major General Guy M. Wilson, commanding officer of the 32nd division, was unable to be present because of serious illness. Col. La Roy Pearson, chief of staff, was in charge of the conference. The officers were quartered in tents and had their mess in the mess hall, where Peter Lovely and the catering. It required 50 tents to care for the officers. Capt. Allen of the 107th Ordnance Co., Pontiac, had charge of the registrations, tents and mess.

When the Michigan, Wisconsin and Illinois guardsmen, encamp at Camp Custer August 6th, among the units present will be Capt. John Erkes, quartermaster of Camp Grayling, and his crew, consisting of Ernest Smith, Ernest Larson, Ernest Lovely, Harold Hatfield, George Hilton and Rudy Harrison. These men will be in charge of the equipment and supplies taken from Camp Grayling warehouses.

This will be the only year the Michigan National Guard has failed to do their summer training at Camp Grayling since the camp was instituted in 1911, with exception when they were serving in France during the World war.

It is reported that many of the wives of the Guard officers will spend their vacations at Camp Grayling while their husbands are in Camp Custer.

An Old Proverb

Maidens should be mild and meek, swift to hear and slow to speak.

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Tarzan, the Human Ape.

Miss St. Leon, the Riding Queen

HERBERT LEWIS WILLIAMS PASSED AWAY

Herbert Lewis Williams, born in St. Louis, Mo., March 26, 1910, to Dorothea E. and the late John R. Williams, was taken seriously ill suddenly on Monday, July 13th, at the Boys' Hospital in Lapeer, Mich. He died the same day at 4:45 p. m., a victim of the extremely hot weather.

His mother of Grayling, and his brother, Richard N. Williams, of St. Louis, Mo., together with relatives from Detroit, were in attendance at the funeral rites held at Hards Funeral Home in Lapeer, and at White Hall Memorial Park, on Wednesday afternoon.

Herbert was beloved by his family and friends for his beautiful, joyous spirit and his keen sense of humor. The memory of his loving devotion and his uncomplicated patience and fortitude in spite of physical handicap should inspire us all to more helpful, happier living.

MUST PUBLISH SCHOOL REPORTS

Lansing, Mich., July 22.—Nearly one thousand graded, rural agricultural and township school districts in Michigan will be required to publish in a legally qualified newspaper, proceedings of their annual meetings and a financial statement of the year's business, on or before August 3.

Dr. Eugene B. Elliott, Superintendent of Public Instruction, called attention to the fact that the financial statement must be more than a publication of totals—it must be a complete summary of the year's business.

The purpose of this law is to give the people an exact dollar and cents picture of how their tax moneys are being spent, and also the financial condition of the districts at the time of the report. The Department of Public Instruction during the past year directed the distribution of thirty-five million dollars of State funds to the sixty-seven hundred school districts. This is an increase of thirteen million dollars over the year 1934. These published statements will show to what extent this distribution of State funds has relieved the school financial problem. It will also show to what extent State aid has reduced local taxes.

MOTORISTS WARNED OF "STICKER" DEADLINE

Use of automobile "stickers" or half-year permits will be illegal after midnight, July 31, and owners of motor vehicles in this state who expect to operate them after that time must equip them with 1936 license plates before then.

FUNERAL OF MRS. O'DONNELL HELD SATURDAY

The remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Emma O'Donnell, who passed away in Detroit were brought to Grayling Friday and funeral services held at St. Mary's church Saturday morning. Interment was in Elmwood cemetery the following acting as pallbearers: Dan Hoesh, David LaMotte, Ted Morris, David Montour, B. J. Calahan and John Matthieson. Those from out of town in attendance at the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. Glen Penard, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kelly, Mrs. A. J. McInnis, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Claude VanPatten, Phil VanPatten, Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ewing, of Hale; Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison, L. A. Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ewing, Saginaw.

Elizabeth E. Johnson was born in Harrisburg, Pa., May 20, 1871. In 1887 she was united in marriage to Roy A. VanPatten and to the union one daughter and four sons were born, all of whom survive, Anne, now Mrs. Glen Penard, Ernest, Phil, Claude and George. The family resided in Lewiston for many years before coming to Grayling in 1910. Mr. VanPatten passed away during their residence here and the family moved to Flint in 1917 and in 1922 Mrs. VanPatten was married to Edward O'Donnell.

During her residence in Grayling Mrs. VanPatten was active in church and lodge circles in which circles she had hosts of friends.

Besides her children the deceased is survived by one grandson, Claude VanPatten, Jr., Flint, and one sister, Mrs. Leon H. Ewing, Hale, Mich. The family have the sympathy of the Grayling friends in their bereavement.

SEALED BIDS

Sealed bids will be received up to July 27 for a complete School Bus. Must have heavy balloon tires and duo wheels; capacity 24 to 30 people. Rights reserved to reject or accept any or all bids. For further information inquire of A. P. Feldhauser, Director, School Dist. No. 3.

First Presidential Vote

The first Presidential vote was by Washington on an apportionment bill in 1792.

County's Share Highway Tax \$10,180.99

Vouchers totaling \$4,094,008 were turned over by Murray D. Van Wagoner, State Highway Commissioner, to Aud.-Gen. John J. O'Hara today for payment to the 83 counties out of state highway revenues.

The vouchers cover the second quarter of the weight tax returns amounting to \$2,819,008 while the additional \$1,275,000 covers the first half payment on the gasoline tax returns. The counties receive the entire amount of the weight tax collected by the state.

With the returns announced today, the total vouchers to the counties to date out of state highway revenues amounts to \$17,548,297 embracing the first two quarters of the weight tax returns, the first half of the gasoline tax payment, and the first half, or \$2,000,000, on the McNitt township road law requirement.

The figures reveal an increase of \$1,800,000 returned to the counties from weight tax receipts for the first two quarters of this year compared with the same period in 1935. At that time the two payments amounted to \$12,518,471 compared with \$14,309,297 this year.

The McNitt returns to the counties likewise are half a million dollars more this year than in 1935 when a total of \$3,500,000 was paid out of state highway revenues. The law abolishing the township road system fixes the annual payment starting this year at \$4,000,000.

Crawford county's portion is \$10,180.99.

Recreational Notes

The Crawford County Soft Ball league has been going along as usual in spite of the exceptionally hot weather. The results of the last two weeks play and the coming schedule is as follows:

Thursday, July 9
Practice game of All Stars from all four teams. The American League team won by a score of 8-7 over the National league.

Tuesday, July 14
County 1: Chiefs 0 (forfeit). Spikes 14: Blackies 3.

Thursday, July 16
Blackies 17: County 5.

Tuesday July 21
Spikes 13: County 5.

Blackies 12: All Stars 4.

The last games of the first half of the schedule will be played as follows:

Thursday, July 23
Spikes vs. Blackies, at Chiefs diamond.

County vs. All Stars, at Wells diamond.

Tuesday, July 28
County vs. Spikes, at Chiefs diamond.

Blackies vs. All Stars, at Wells diamond.

Team Standings

Spikes 6 1

All Stars 4 3

Blackies 3 4

County 1 6

During the warm weather both of the swimming holes really came into their own. At any time of the day and often into the night they were crowded to capacity. The old swimming hole has been the most popular place in town and will continue as such until the weather changes a whole lot.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindness during the sickness and at the passing of our husband and father. Also for the beautiful flowers. Rev. Flory for his kind words and the choir for the music rendered at the funeral.

Mrs. George Darling.
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Picking begins soon. Leave your order NOW.

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Among the Clerks

(By J. Wellington Bumsted)

Unless the heat wave strikes us again soon, it looks as though Dr. Cooley's medical hospital will be minus a couple of patients.

You can call it repeated suggestion if you like, but George Stanley has referred to Evelyn Sorenson as "one of the Jones girls" so often that we're beginning to wonder if she isn't!

I have been informed that Alex Kochanowski, of Nicky's store, attended a "pink tea" Saturday, and reports an extremely hilarious evening.

The Grayling laundry now boasts of the services of four young and equally charming young ladies: Helen Embury, Rose Bieliski, Yvonne SanCartier, and Bessie Askins.

As far as Billy Harrison is concerned, some of us are beginning to wonder what some of the local gals will have to say when they hear that there is a Mrs. Harrison, who resides at Iron River.

Old Diz, better known as the Red Oak Cowboy, narrowly escaped being nipped by a huge and very black bear, which has been tied to the Hanson Cate woodpile ever since Dizzy first started to work there. To Rudy Harrison goes the credit for a timely rescue. Since that time Diz has been able to collect his firewood in peace. We wonder just which particular type of knock-out punch did Rudy exercise on Mr. Bruin?

Ona Lozon, of the Connine Grocery, now packs a Remington Automatic as a timely precaution against the designs of one of her fellow-workers.

According to Ona, all that seems to be the matter with Bert is that he has rated a little too much publicity, and can't take the resultant wisecracks. In the meantime, Ona will stick to her brass knuckles.

Like Walter Winchell, Helen Embury is having a perfectly terrible time keeping track of her dates. She's thinking of hiring a social secretary, now that she is working.

Most butchers are apt to be able-bodied and capable of taking care of themselves. But once in a while, you will find one afflicted with a broken arm—or even a black eye. When asked about the deep, dark shadow which lingered in the region of his eye, George looked uncomfortable and evaded the issue. Now, it comes to light that George received his injury in a scrap with his little seven-year-old grandson, Carl, who is visiting him from Flint. Judging from the results, young Carl will probably be one of our future Jimmy Braddockes. George is resorting to the soothing care of the good old beefsteak.

Irene Swarthout is enjoying a week's vacation from her duties at Shepparsons Inn and is probably "sleeping in". She is being relieved by none other than handsome Dullie Minier, who formerly worked at the Green Front restaurant. Hazel Schreiber, formerly of the Hanson Cafe, is bearing the trays at the Green Front.

The Pure Food Store boys, Don and Alex, are very proud of the addition of another mascot to their already strong force along the feline line.



Golf Club Notes....

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Golf Club met Wednesday for their semi-monthly pot luck luncheon. Three tables were in play for bridge. Mrs. O. P. Schumann holding the high score. Sunday a two-ball foursome for ladies and gentlemen will be held starting at 1:00 o'clock, followed by a pot luck dinner at 6:30 o'clock. Every member is urged to participate in the game.

No Water in Taverns

Most of the taverns in early Ohio prohibited the use of water in their second-floor rooms lest it would be split and damage the ceiling and furniture beneath. Instead the guests found a tub beside the pump in the yard for the morning ablution and shave.

Happy Land Shows Here August 4-9

Happy Land Show, Inc., will bring their carnival and show to Grayling, Mich., from Aug. 4 to 9th, under the auspices of Grayling American Legion, Dr. & B. Co. and the Grayling Big Features. The show will feature three sides of motion pictures at one time, two sides of motion pictures and one side of motion pictures while fighting each other. The Arcade and the trained show under canvas and there will be ride, games.

Watch for this big attraction coming soon. The show will receive a percentage of the ticket receipts.

WALTER L. MAIN CIRCUS

The Walter L. Main Circus, which will exhibit in Grayling for one day only August 29th, is said to be better than any that it has been in many previous seasons.

This is what the Cambridge Daily News of Cambridge, Mass. said in regard to the circus: "To make the day after the circus had gone. The big Walter L. Main Circus gave an excellent performance both yesterday and tonight. The program was well worth it. There was no dull moment in the lengthy well-balanced program. Here are some features and novelties of the most pleasing variety."

There will be two matinees of this circus at 2:00 and 7:00 P. M. on Sunday, August 30th, at Grayling on August 30th, at Connine's Tourist Park.

C.C.C. ENROLLEE PNEUMONIA VICTIM

Chester Gilbert, 20 years old, a member of Camp Cassin, passed away Tuesday evening.

Mersey Hospital, following a stay of two weeks from pneumonia. The funeral was held Wednesday at the home of the young man's father, Charles Gilbert, at Arcadia, Mich., for burial.

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Mac's Melody Masters

Lyric Dance Hall

Wed. Eve July 29th

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Hospital Notes

Legion Jottings



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"I believe that there should be an increase in the old age pension, so that the aged can have the greatest comfort of life."

"I also promise to assist in bringing about more welfare and for hospitalization, which I believe should come first, not last in our welfare work."

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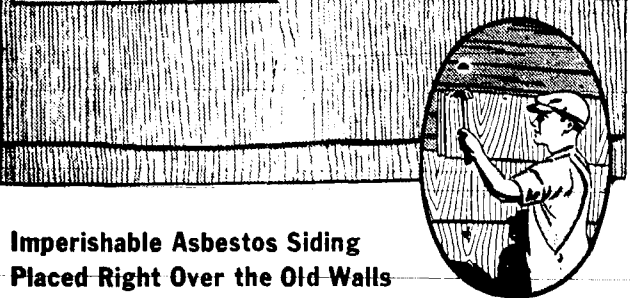
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FLOUR (Our Special Family) 24 1/2 lb. sack	69c
JAPAN TEA, green, bulk, lb.	23c
PEANUTS IN SHELL, bulk, 2 lbs.	25c
TOMATOES (Michigan) 2 lg. cans	25c
CORN, white solid pack, can	9c
PEAS, taste like fresh picked, can	9c
BEANS, stringless, cut, wax or green, can	9c
LARD, Pure or Compound, 2 lbs.	27c
GRAPE JAM, pure, 4 lb. jar	43c
NOODLES, fine or wide cut, 8 oz. pkg. 3 for	25c
FLOUR (Mother's Best) 24 1/2 lb. sack	\$1.06
SOAP FLAKES (Armour's Balloon) 5 lb. pkg.	29c
FAMO PANCAKE FLOUR, 5 lb. sack	24c
CRESCENT PANCAKE FLOUR, 5 lb. sack	21c
PRUNES, bulk, fresh pack, lb.	5c
CORN BEEF, small can	18c
CORN BEEF, lg. can	35c
MUFFETS, pkg.	10c
PUFFED WHEAT, pkg.	10c
COFFEE (Sanko or Kaffee Hag) lb.	39c
COFFEE (Chase & Sanborn, dated) lb.	25c
PORK SAUSAGE, bulk lb.	15c
BACON (Armour's Star) sliced, 1/2 lb. pkg.	19c
CHOCOLATE CHERRIES in Pound Box	27c
SALAD DRESSING, good, in qt. jar	25c
CHICKEN BROTH, very rich, 3 cans	25c
CATSUP, very fine flavor, 2 bottles	25c
TUNA FISH (light meat) 2 cans	25c
BLACK TEA (Empress) 1/2 lb. pkg.	25c
POWDERED SUGAR, lb. 9c; 3 lbs.	25c
PORK & BEANS (Armour's tall can)	9c
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LOCALS

THURSDAY, JULY 23, 1936

Harold McNeven and family are driving a new Chrysler sedan. Oscar Borchers has moved into his new home located on M-76 Mrs. Borchers and daughter Sally are visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Anderson, at Flint.

Patrick J. Welch, a well known figure around Lewiston for many years passed away in Detroit Wednesday of last week. One son, Owen Welch, survives.

Buy some of the good baked goods that will be sold Saturday afternoon, following the Grange baking contest. At Commune's Grocery, beginning at one o'clock.

Parents or any others who are interested and wish to do so may visit the Campfire Girls at Mrs. Dorothea Williams' cottage at Lake Margrethe Friday afternoon and evening.

If you intend to become a county candidate for nomination in the primary election, your petition must be filed with your county clerk not later than next Tuesday, July 28th at 4:00 p. m.

New Ford cars were delivered this week from the Burke Garage to Marian Buck, of Marquette, who purchased a Deluxe Coupe, and a similar model to Miss Elizabeth Ober, of Roscommon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Felske of Detroit are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgen at Shoppington Inn, and enjoying trout fishing and golfing. Mr. Felske is assistant manager of the Fort Shelby hotel, Detroit.

Announcements have been received by Grayling friends of the marriage of Miss Francella Failing to Mr. Clyde Charles Simmons that took place at Iron Mountain, Mich., on July 11. The bride is the daughter of A. B. Failing of Quinnesec, Mich., and has many friends in Grayling who extend congratulations.

Friday afternoon the Junior League boys will cross bats with West Branch on the home lot and will make an effort to avenge the defeat the latter handed them earlier this season. Come on you base ball enthusiasts and get out to this game and let the local lads know you appreciate them. They have made a good showing this season so far.

Edward and Kitty Robinson of Traverse City will be in Grayling Tuesday to continue their dancing classes. Also on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings they will hold rehearsals for the Kiwanis minstrels. Members of the cast are requested to be in attendance at the school house on those evenings. The date for the minstrel is set for August 7th.

Friday, the Legion Junior base ball team playing at Mio, met defeat. Mio was only able to round up three regular players and the remainder were taken from among resorters there, and Grayling finally played the game however, under protest. As all members of the league were supposed to be signed up by June 30th, it is likely the game will not hold good. Wm. LaChapelle on the mound for Grayling allowed but three hits. Score was 2 to 0.

Have you had a police ticket yet? The promiscuous parking of autos across crosswalks and before fire plugs, and reckless driving on public streets have moved the council to order police tickets to be passed out to offenders. Instructions say to report before justice at 3:00 p. m. on July 19.

A recent out-door motion picture exhibit in the court yard found autos parked several deep in front of a fire hydrant. People have become careless about observing ordinary traffic regulations. One car may stand parked half way across a crosswalk, and soon another comes along and appropriates the other half and soon one can't tell just where to cross the street. And we never could see the need of fast driving within the city limits, especially within the business section. Don't blame the officers if you get caught.

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Angus MacAuley and family are moving into the house recently vacated by the Oscar Borchers family.

Paul Foldhauser and Albert Knibbs are driving new Chevrolet Master sport sedans, purchased from Alfred Hanson.

Mrs. Lizzie Sandets and Roy A. Warner were united in marriage yesterday afternoon. Justice Hans Petersen tied the knot.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Samspeel (Hunny Montour) join with them in their sorrow in the loss of their infant son born at Mercy Hospital Sunday, and who passed away that night.

The Grange will hold its third annual bake contest and sale Saturday afternoon at Commune's Grocery. This sale is sponsored by the State Grange and Michigan Farmer.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson and Mrs. Holger Hanson entertained at a bridge party last evening in honor of Miss Anna Nielsen of Grand Rapids. Mrs. Marius Hanson, and Mrs. Mollie Bosworth held high scores. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses.

John Hanselman says that since Grayling cemetery has no regular sexton, except for grave digging, those using water are requested to limit the use to not more than two hours daily and to be careful to close hydrant when not in use.

The ladies of St. Mary's Altar society served close to 300 hundred people last Sunday, when they gave a chicken dinner. This was a grand opening for the new hall that has been built in the basement of the church, for the various social activities of the parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Angers, and daughter Jean, Mrs. Thos. Angers, Mrs. V. B. Klump and daughter Genevieve, and Mrs. Ed. Klump and sons Edward and Raymond, of Pineau, spent Wednesday here visiting friends. The Angers family were former residents of Grayling.

Friends of Charles Deman, formerly of Grayling but now of Detroit, will be sorry to learn of the tragic death of his son, Howard, age 5, and daughter, Ruth, age 11 years, that occurred recently in Detroit. The boy had gone beyond his depth while swimming and, in an attempt to save him, the sister also lost her life.

Plum or peach—which? Fruit that has a smooth skin like that of a plum and has a distinct plum flavor, and regular peach interior and a distinct peach flavor, is a new thing in fruits. Fred C. Burden brot a few to Grayling from Detroit and exhibited them to some of his friends. They are not only a novelty but are delicious as well.

CAMPFIRE GROUP CAMPING

Twenty-seven girls of the Wetomachuck Campfire group are camping at Mrs. Dorothea Williams' cottage on Lake Margrethe this week.

A full daily schedule is being followed. This includes three short swims besides the one and a half hour period of swimming instruction under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Harrington of Detroit. Miss Harrington is a competent swimmer and instructor who has spent several summers at Camp Westminister on Higgins Lake.

A singing period each evening and after meals is devoted to the learning and singing of typical camp songs. Miss Ruth White of West Branch, an experienced camper, is the song leader.

Nature study is in charge of Miss Gladys O'Brien of St. Johns County Normal School. Miss O'Brien is a specialist in nature study and has written courses of study on this field. Under the direction of the Campfire Girls study two hours a day about trees, stars, birds, and insects. It is hoped that the girls will earn the requirements for several nature honors.

Miss Ruby Clay, teacher in Ypsilanti public schools, is director of the handicraft activities of the camp. They are having work in book making, and binding, spatter designs, starch finger painting, block printing, and crayon work on cloth.

Miss Lois McWhannet of Grayling is assisting Mrs. Flory and the counselors in camp supervision.

Three tasty meals a day are being prepared by Mrs. Howard Smith of Grayling. The girls think each meal is the best.

The splendid cooperative spirit of the girls is to be commended. The counselors have spoken highly of their attitude.

Camp Wetomachuck invites the parents and friends of the campers to visit them on Friday afternoon.

A month of drought was followed early Wednesday morning by rain and it's still raining.

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